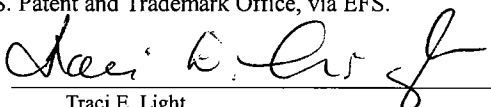


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**STATEMENT OF BIOLOGICAL CULTURE DEPOSIT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.808**

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I, Margaret M. Dunbar, hereby state that:

1. The cells designated as EE4.1, GB3.1, B2.6, and EH2.7 and referred to in the specification of this application will be deposited at the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC), having an address at 10801 University Blvd., Manassas, VA 20110-2209.

2. The deposit will be made during pendency (*i.e.*, on or before payment of the issue fee) in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.804 and MPEP §2406.

3. The depository is approved under the Budapest Treaty for deposits.

4. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.808, the deposit will be made under conditions that assure that:

a. access to the deposit will be available during pendency of the patent application making reference to the deposit to one determined by the Commissioner to be entitled thereto under 37 C.F.R. § 1.14 and 35 U.S.C. § 122 (37 C.F.R. § 1.808, MPEP § 2410.01),

b. subject to the exception that is permitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.808(b) and stated in item 5 below, all restrictions imposed by the depositor on the availability to the public of the deposited biological material will be irrevocably removed upon the granting of the patent (37 C.F.R. § 1.808, MPEP § 2410.01),

c. the deposit shall be made for a term of at least thirty (30) years and at least five (5) years after the most recent request for the furnishing of a sample of the deposit was received by the depository (37 C.F.R. § 1.806, MPEP § 2408),

d. a viability statement regarding viability of the biological material at the time of deposit will be filed in the application in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.807(b), and

e. the deposit will be replaced or supplemented if it becomes contaminated or has lost its capability to function as described in the specification, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.805.

5. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.808(b), the depositor may contract with the depository to require that samples of the deposited biological material shall be furnished only if a request for a sample, during the term of the patent:

a. is in writing or other tangible form and dated,

b. contains the name and address of the requesting party and the accession number of the deposit, and

c. is communicated in writing by the depository to the depositor along with the date on which the sample was furnished and the name and address of the party to whom the sample was furnished.

6. Please charge any additional fees, including any fees necessary for extensions of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. **08-1290**. **An originally executed duplicate of this statement is enclosed for this purpose.**

Dated: 2 Jan 2008

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